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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- No additional fee is required.

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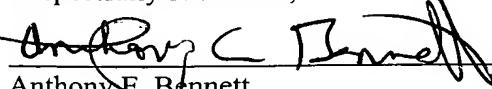
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x 25=	\$		x 50=	\$150.00
x 100=	\$		x 200=	\$600.00
x 180=	\$		x 360=	\$
TOTAL	\$ 0.00		TOTAL	\$ 750.00

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**AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R §111**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 4, 2005, please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 13 of this paper.

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